

Strawberries selling at 192-4-4-10 at Lexington.

Col. A. T. Wood has had his home, corner High and Queen streets, newly papered, painted, etc.

All graduates of the State College, at Lexington, with the rank of Captain have been notified that they are subject to call in case of war with Spain.

To Cure Constipation Forever. Take Chamberlain's Candy Cathartic. 10c or 50c. It cures C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

An impromptu hop was given at the Masonic Temple on last Friday evening by some of the younger society set. Music was furnished by a home orchestra. It was a very enjoyable affair.

Tobacco.

Prices during the past week in Louisville were better than either of two preceding weeks and the indications are favorable for increased prices. The supply is much reduced and demand continues good.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Broom Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. For sale by J. R. Tipton.

Unwritten Law Upheld.

In the Circuit Court at Lexington, S. Harris was on Thursday acquitted for killing Thos. H. Merritt in Gratz Park last summer. The jury was out twenty-four hours.

Heavy Snow.

On Tuesday morning many of our people were surprised to see a heavy snow had fallen during the night. It was about four inches deep, and according to reports largely fulfilled the killing of fruit, which had been much injured by the severe cold of preceding nights. From reports throughout the country, we conclude that nearly all peaches, cherries and plums and some early apples are destroyed. But little damage has been done to clover and oats. Tobacco plants have not suffered as much as was expected.

Circuit Court in Session.

Circuit Court convened on yesterday with Judge Cooper presiding. Only the usual instruction of the grand jury and receiving reports from the various officers occupied attention for the morning.

The following is the docket: Equity cases, 244; common law, 84; criminal, 20; misdemeanor, 45.

The most important civil case is that in regard to the will of Waller Chensuit. There are so important criminal cases.

The following are the grand jurors: C. W. McKibben, foreman; J. W. Chensuit, Noah Boone, Nick Hadden, Sr., J. T. Highland, Albert B. Anderson, John McPherson, Chas. Fraser, Brock Gillispie, James M. Gillispie, D. C. Tipton, Jas. A. Martin.

Horse Market Improving.

Capt. Jack Stewart, the great auctioneer, on last Thursday finished a three days' horse sale at Marlboro, Tenn. Two hundred and fifty horses passed under the hammer at an average of \$125. The prices ranged from \$40 to \$300. No pedigrees were furnished. The horses had been catalogued.

There were thirty buyers from the South, one from Boston, one from Columbus, Ohio.

Mr. Stewart says that these horses sold for the best prices, for a cheap lot. In several years. He thinks that there has been a marked improvement in all kinds of live stock and thinks the prospect is very favorable. This stock had received but little attention and was such as would be usually taken off the pastures.

Farmers and stockmen will be pleased to hear of this improvement in the market, as for some years the prices have been very discouraging. Horse men have consequently given less attention to keeping up pedigrees and having stock in first-class condition. We are pleased when the farmers are successful.

Halt Races to Lexington.

Queen & Crescent route May 4th to 7th, good to return until May 10th, on all points in Kentucky. These race account meetings of the Kentucky State Equestrian League and the Kentucky and West Virginia Grand Council Commercial Travelers. Ask Agents for information.

W. C. RICHMOND, G. F. A., Cincinnati, O.

BURGLAR

Entered the Residence of R. M.

Barnes, Sr.

Several Articles and Small Sum

of Money Taken—A Joke on

Mr. Barnes.

Soon after 2 o'clock Monday morning Mr. Barnes was awakened by the appearance of a light in his room. As his wife had been nursing her sick sister, Mrs. Couch, in another room, he supposed that she had come in to see the family room for something and did not look to see if the person was she.

The intruder went to the bureau and began his work. The shining light was disagreeable to Mr. Barnes, so he turned in bed with his back to the light and said nothing. The burglar made a search of different drawers in the bureau. Mr. Barnes heard his every movement, but, strange as it appears, asked no questions nor looked towards the intruder. Operations continued thus for probably ten to fifteen minutes, then the seeker for treasure proceeded to the

The two sisters heard the noise, but supposed that Mr. Barnes was up. Finally Mrs. Barnes concluded to make investigation. She went to the family room and asked her husband if he was sick. He assured her that he had not been out of bed. Then the question was, who had been going through the house? The conclusion was soon reached that the house had been robbed. An examination showed that Mrs. Barnes' watch case had been opened and her gold watch, which she had since she was six years old (a gift from a kinswoman), taken, the case closed and put back in the drawer; her pocketbook opened, the money, about \$2, removed and the book closed and left in the drawer; other things were left in more confused

It is supposed that as the burglar left the room he heard the sisters talking, and just as Mrs. Barnes appeared in the hall he had disappeared through the front door. The entrance was evidently through the back door, as it was found unlocked.

Mr. Barnes regarded his own action as a joke on himself. Suspicion rested on Wm. Alexander, a young man of this city, who left on the early train. Officers in Lexington were notified and he was arrested in Lexington with the watch while trying to dispose of it.

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Thin Blood

Where the blood loses its intense red—grows thin and watery, as in anemia, there is a constant feeling of exhaustion, a lack of energy—vitality and the spirits depressed.

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Be sure you get SCOTT'S Emulsion. It is the only one. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

Fruit Killed.

Agricultural Commissioner Moore reports that the peach, cherry and pear crops of the State are completely killed, and that all unopened tobacco buds were ruined. This is evidently the prevailing condition; there are exceptions.

DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP FOR COUGHS

Good Brussels carpets 50c, Velvets 75c, Yarns 48c and Mattings at corresponding low prices at W. A. Sutton's.

CORRESPONDENCE.

HAZEL GREEN.

The sick of our town are all convalescing.

Most of our fruit, except apples, was destroyed during the last cold snap, and there are but few tobacco plants living.

The extension of the railroad from Jackson to the Casey coal fields of Morgan county, where an eastern company owns 6,000 acres of the finest canal coal in the world, is now regarded as a certainty. The road has been permanently located and the right of way secured except about two miles. It runs within five miles of our town and passes through a timbered region on Frozen and Red river that is unequaled by any in Kentucky.

The Hazel Green Academy, one of the best institutions of learning in the State, is in a more prosperous condition than at any time during its history. Mr. W. H. Cord, the principal, is one of the best educators in the State, and is the right man in the right place. He keeps the dormitory, where students can be accommodated with board at \$2.00 per week, and the fare and accommodations are first-class in every particular. He is also pastor of our Christian church, where only a few weeks since he closed one of the most successful revivals in the history of the church.

We are glad to learn that W. O. Mize, the well known capitalist of our town, will not occupy his residence on the corner of Main and Queen streets of your city, and the house is rented. But this should be a matter of regret upon the part of the citizens of your town, as he as well as his estimable wife are great workers in the church of which they are members and they would have been quite an acquisition to your population.

The people here would like to know what kind of laws and ordinances you have in operation in your town. It is reported here that Mr. Mize, paragon to making valuable improvements to his dwelling house in your town, and upon which he has expended several hundred dollars, found it necessary to remove a little old dilapidated wood house from near the street in front of the house to the rear near the middle of the lot, for which his agent was fined in the Police Court \$5.00 with costs. Says Mr. Mize: "If they fine me (being a non-resident) \$5.00 for removing my own house upon my own land, especially when by so doing it adds so much to the attractiveness and general appearance of that part of the town, besides adding much to the value of all the adjacent property, what could I expect, should I become a citizen of the town? I shall therefore remain at Hazel Green." Will you please inform your readers if this report is true? Many of our citizens do not believe it. If true, it seems that the law ought to be changed so that your city officials, in the discharge of their duties, could execute the laws in a manner consistent with their oath as to invite capitalists to your town, instead of driving them away, as has been done in many instances heretofore.

[Mr. Mize's agent was fined for failing to get a special permit from the City Council to remove the house.—Editor.]

Proceedings of Fiscal Court.

The Fiscal Court was in session on Tuesday and Wednesday. Among the many matters considered we note the following:

Dr. Sam Thomas was elected Jail Physician. The salaries of County Judge, County Attorney and School Superintendent were fixed at \$1,000 for former, and \$500 for each of the others.

An allowance of \$50 a year was made to J. W. Jones for keeping clock at Court-house in repair.

Physicians for county paupers allowed 50 cents per mile.

The following levy for taxes was agreed upon: Turnpikes 25c, county 25c, railroad 8c, Court-house bonds 94c; total 67 1/2c. This added to State tax, 52 1/2c, makes a total of \$1.20. The increase from 10 last year to 94c for Court-house is to pay the \$5,000 which will be due next January. The turnpikes will be partially provided for by the remaining increase over last year's levy.

A purchasing agent for county supplies will be appointed. Adjourned till Monday.

The Postal Telegraph company was granted the right to erect poles on Levee pike.

C. H. Duty, County Road Supervisor, filed his report and allowed \$100 for his services.

Committee appointed to have claim list published. Nothing ordered purchased for Court House and Jail except an order of respective committees.

Committee appointed to employ janitor for Court House.

Office of Road Supervisor discontinued and Justice of respective districts to have charge of roads in their respective districts.

NAT WILSON

Scores Another Victory in the

Ring.

Mert Bryan Could Not Stand the

Pace

LONGER THAN TWO ROUNDS.

The glove contest at the Masonic Temple on last Thursday evening between Nat Wilson and Mert Bryan, was of short duration, the former winning in the second round. Bryan was clearly out-classed, never once landing an effective blow on his opponent. He was knocked down once in the first round by a swing on the jaw, which seemed to somewhat discourage him, or to bring "the yellow" to the surface.

In the second round Wilson waded into the now going soft thing with right and left swings which several times sent him to the floor, and which made him give up the fight. That he possesses a long yellow streak is evident from the fact that he tried to elude the contest on an alleged foul, which the referee and those near by failed to see. The referee and spectators tried every means of persuasion to get him to continue the contest but to no avail. Referee Warren Stover then declared Wilson the winner.

The preliminary bout of five rounds between Charles Vivian and a somewhat lighter-complected opponent, was a red-hot go and afforded much amusement for those present. It was an even match, and the referee declared it a draw.

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The best of all medicines. It is the only one that is so pure and so effective.

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A fine assortment of Funeral Designs furnished on short notice.

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And you have a chance to get it back again. Orders should be placed 24 hours in advance of delivery. Satisfaction guaranteed.

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To the people of Montgomery and surrounding Counties for their Liberal Patronage

on our Opening Day, AS WE PROMISED,

We will continue these prices a few days to give those a chance that we did not get to wait on Saturday, to secure these bargains.

All the best Prints 3 cents per yard
Sea Island Brown Cotton, 1 yd wide . . . 4 cents per yard
New Spring Styles upon Kingham . . . 34 cents per yard
Good Heavy Shirting 42 inch 4 cents per yard
1 yard wide Percale, new patterns . . . 6 cents per yard
10. Quality Orling (back for 7 cents per yard
Green Ticks Louisiana Cotton 6 cents per yard
Needles and Pins per paper 1 cent
Ladies' and Children's nice Fast Black Hose . . . 5 cents
Clark's O-N-T Spool Cotton 3 for 10 cents
A No. 1 Good Cotton, worth 65c, for 29 cents
Extra large-size Bad Bread for 49 cents

JUST RECEIVED A NICE LINE OF RUGS.

EMBROIDERIES AND LACES—The largest line ever brought to Mt. Sterling, and at the very lowest prices. Come and see our immense line and be convinced. Prices from two yards for 5c and upwards.

DRESS GOODS—Our line of Spring Novelties are beauties. Just thick of it, double-width Dress Novelties 8 1/2 a yard. HERE IS A BARGAIN!—Our line of 25c Spring Novelties are beauties. We are going to give you 8 yards of this goods with everything complete for \$1.98.

SHOE DEPARTMENT—Ladies' Dongola patent tip Shoes, all sizes, worth \$1.25, for 69c. Ladies' Dongola patent tip Slipper, worth \$1.00, for 50c. See our line of Ladies' Shoes at \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00. Men's good Working Shoes for 79c. Men's Dress Shoes for 89c.

Second Floor of Our Immense Store.

WASH GOODS DEPARTMENT—This department is a room of beauty. 500 different patterns to select from, and prices never before offered in Mt. Sterling. Come and see and be convinced.

CURTAIN DEPARTMENT—A nice line of Lace Curtains from 30c per pair up to \$7.00. Widow Shades, spring rollers, 3 for 25c.

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT—This department was never as large as it now is, and comprises the latest and noblest styles. Men's up-to-date Suits worth \$5.00, for \$2.98. Men's nobby Suits worth \$7.00 for \$3.98. Boys' Suits, sizes 12 to 16, for \$2.48. Children's Knee Pants worth \$1.50 for 75c. Come and get our prices on Clothing, and you will say, how can you sell them so cheap?

SHIRT DEPARTMENT—Men's nice Laundered Shirts with collar 15c. Men's Colored Room Shirts with white bodies 35c. Men's good heavy Soft Shirts worth 50c for 23c.

TRUNK DEPARTMENT—We now carry a large line of nice Trunks, and defy competition.

With Every \$20 Purchase We Give You an Elegant Piece of Silverware.

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strain in buying this season.

Mrs. ANNA E. BEAN.



Clover and timothy seed very cheap
at Baum's. 38-2t

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IT MUST GO!

From now until my spring stock comes in I will cut prices in all makes of Carpets, Matting, Rugs, etc. Also Chairs and all the new styles of Furniture. Keep your eye on this space. Special inducements each week.

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And we can say without fear of contradiction that such values we never before offered in this town at the prices.

Long months ago, before you had began to think of Spring Clothes, we made up our minds to give the people of this section the best \$5 and \$7 Suits obtainable, and set out to search the markets, as we would be satisfied with nothing short of

Pure Wool, Fast Color and Good Make!

We believe, if you have received our BOOK OF SAMPLES, or if you will examine the Suits at our store, you will agree that our cash has worked wonders in the purchase of these goods. Over 50 STYLES to pick from, Sacks and Frocks, to fit any man, and YOUR MONEY BACK IF THEY FAIL TO PLEASE.



\$5 Suits.

Five good American Dollars will buy a good All-Wool Suit, well made and trimmed, guaranteed fast color, at this store.

More here for money than any house in this town, or your money back.

Hats.

Stetson's and Hopkins' Stiff, Soft and Straw Hats now on sale.

The Walsh Special, the newest, nobbiest and most comfortable Alpine in the market; 3 colors, pearl, otter and black. See them. All kinds of Hats here.

Shoes.

Men's, Boys' and Children's Shoes in every conceivable shape and color, and at prices 25 per cent. lower than regular shoe stores.

See our line of shoes. Only the best makes handled here.

Mothers,

Come and look at our Suits for little fellows; the prettiest line you ever saw; such goods were never handled by any other store in this town. A look will convince you where to buy. Base-ball outfit with every suit.

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Twenty-five styles of \$7 suits, in plaids, checks, stripe, blacks, greys and browns, in hard and soft woven materials. These goods never sold for less than \$10, but we made up our minds to give you the best \$7 suit possible. Call and see.

WALSH BROTHERS,

MT. STERLING, KY.

PERSONAL.

J. T. Day, of Hazel Green, was here on Wednesday.

Wm. Young, of North Middletown, was in town on Saturday.

Leslie McCormick, from State College, spent Sunday at home.

Senator J. M. Thomas spent a few hours in town on Thursday.

Miss Lillie Hou is visiting her sister, Mrs. Joe Henry, near Silveston.

Joe M. Conroy spent yesterday in Cincinnati making purchases for his store.

Misses Nannie Boyd and Llewellyn Cassidy, of Lexington, were in town on Saturday.

Mrs. Belle Miller, of Paris, Ill., after a visit of ten days returns home tomorrow.

Mrs. Sam Hallin, of Levee, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lancaster, at Carlisle.

David Prewitt, wife and child came on Saturday for a stay with the family of Jno. G. Winn.

Miss Josie Gny, of Winchester, spent Saturday and Sunday with her cousin, the Misses Roberts.

Miss Mary Cassidy came home from Hamilton College on Friday evening, and stayed till Monday.

Mrs. Benjamin Shaw, of Lexington, spent from Friday till Monday with Mrs. J. C. Enoch in this city.

O. S. Toney, of Lexington, and Judge W. M. Beckner, of Winchester, were in town on Thursday.

Miss Nannie Boyd and little niece, Llewellyn Cassidy, of Lexington, spent Saturday in the city with friends.

Misses Bettie Withers and Virginia Caldwell, of Sharpsburg, dined with the family of M. M. Cassidy on Friday.

Mrs. H. D. Clark and little Ruble on Wednesday went to Ann Arbor, Mich., to visit her daughter, Mrs. W. M. Forest.

W. D. Mansfield, Deputy Supreme Governor, American Gullit, Richmond, Va., is here in the interest of his company.

Mrs. Kate Hanna and Miss Cora Kelly on Thursday went to Cincinnati to accept positions in a dress-making establishment.

Mrs. J. M. Iola has gone to Cincinnati to spend a few days with the family of her brother, John Leverone, before they start on a trip to Europe.

Miss Meggie Eogg has accepted a position with Koch & Shaw in their lunch-basket manufactory at Lexington.

She left for that place on Saturday.

Mr. Samuel Rankin Benton, of Clark county, spent Sunday in the city visiting the fair sex.

Miss Adaline Bell, an osteopath of Paris, spent yesterday afternoon and evening with the family of W. T. Tibbs.

N. H. Trimble on Sunday returned from a week's business trip to Baltimore and New York. His brother, Green remained in New York. His address is Hotel Imperial.

Mr. H. C. Rainey spent Sunday in the city en route to the meeting of Ebenezer Presbytery to be held at Toleboro this week. Mr. Rainey is engaged in Sunday School work at Hindman, Ky.

RELIGIOUS.

A Sunday-school has been organized at Wyoming, Bath county.

Rev. W. T. Tibbs and A. P. Finley preached at the Christian Church on Sunday.

Regular service at the Northern Presbyterian church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Rev. T. S. Tinsley, of Owingsville was announced to preach on the Cuban war question on last Sunday night.

Mr. I. D. Yocum will start a singing class at Carmargo on Saturday night. He starts with a good class. Let every body turn out, join the class and learn how to sing.

Rev. A. J. Arrick is at Toleboro this week attending the meeting of Ebenezer Presbytery. This church at that place celebrates its one hundredth anniversary next Thursday with appropriate addresses.

A large congregation gathered at the First Presbyterian church Sunday night to join with the children in their Easter service, which consisted of songs and recitation. The children acquitted themselves with great credit both to themselves and those who have charge of them. Mrs. Arrick and her able assistants deserve much commendation for their painstaking care which manifested itself in the excellent service.

The programme is completed for the Kentucky Christian Missionary Convention, and I am safe in saying

that we never had a better one. Those who have been asked to participate have accepted their respective duties, and I can predict safely that those who go to Mt. Sterling in June will have a feast of fat things to enjoy. The Mt. Sterling church will be ready for us and will entertain us in true Kentucky style, and that means hospitably apdied with large letters. Our report from the field will not be so such as to cause us to feel ashamed. It is really wonderful that we have accomplished so much with so little upon which to operate.—H. W. Elliott, in Christian Guide.

Rev. J. W. Mitchell returned from Carlisle Saturday where he has been preaching in a protracted meeting for the two weeks. The meeting abounded with interest. Thirty-three persons testified from the altar that they were happily converted. This is old time testimony. Mr. Mitchell returned to Carlisle yesterday and the meeting will be continued this week.

There is some proselyting going on in religious circles, and we rather approve it on the ground that it puts all religious people on guard, to thinking and reasoning. We could criticize only secret proselyting. The Bible students should be willing and court public discussion, for the truth, the Christian doctrine is able to stand.

THE SICK.

We are pleased to note that Miss Ella E. Prewitt is improving nicely. Jailer Wm. Sledd, who has been sick for two weeks, is still confined to his bed, but is some better at this writing.

The accident to J. G. Trimble, Sr. did not result as seriously as was feared. He was able to be up town on Friday and now expects no further trouble.

BIRTHS.

To Dr. Howard Van Antwerp and wife, on April 8th, a son—Howard Edward.

To Jesse Jackson and wife, near Antioch church, on Sunday morning, a son.

To Cure a Cold in One Day Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. For sale by J. B. Tipton.

Kennedy & Dnerson.

The above is the name of a new drug firm which will begin business in the McMahon building on Court St. in this city within ten days. The members of the firm are Mr. James Kennedy now a druggist of Paris, and Mr. Frank Dnerson of this city. Mr. Dnerson has bought a half interest in Mr. Kennedy's business at Paris which will be transferred here. This exchange will necessitate the removal of Mr. Kennedy and family. Their many friends will welcome their return. Each of these gentlemen has had years of experience in the business, and they will no doubt command a good trade from the beginning. We welcome the new firm and wish them success.

DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPSIN CURES INDIGESTION.

A New Telegraph Office. The Postal Telegraph Co., have decided to run a line into Mt. Sterling within the next ten days. This is an enterprise which will be of worth to our people and we have no doubt that it will be equally valuable to the projectors.

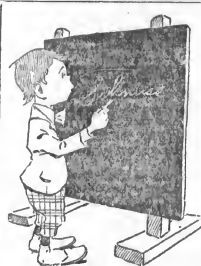
Remember,

That Friday night, the 16th, at Somerset church, President Cave lectures on "Robert E. Lee." Everybody is invited to be present. The old soldier will be made to forget his gray hairs and live again in his youth. He will listen with rapture to the stirring scenes, similar to which he himself passed.

Our young men who are now patiently standing around the altar of our country's service ought to hear in this lecture the sentiment expressed by the great hero in his refusal of the Northern proposition, and his acceptance of that of his own State. There is something good for all.

The enterprising firm of Owen Laughlin & Son, besides supplying home trade, has recently sent four sets of harness to customers in Paris, Lexington, Frankfort and Huntington.

At two recitals of the Old Maid's Convention at Owingsville, by home talent, the ladies cleared \$73.



A Bad Spell of Sickness

Can often be averted at this season of the year by the free use of fresh fruit. No medicine so palatable—none so cheap. We offer fancy Messina Lemons, 300 to box, at \$3.50.

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Fancy ripe Bananas, per doz., 35c.

Fancy ripe Bananas, per bunch, \$1.

Fancy ripe Bananas, per doz., 10c.

You can't afford to be sick when you can buy the finest fruit in the market at such prices.

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CASTORIA.

I take this method of expressing my gratitude to the good people of Frenchburg and vicinity for their kind attention given to my dear husband in his last sickness. Time will never change me in my feelings for their kindness. Every thing that could be was done.

HELLEN A. CROUCH, Lebanon, Indiana.

April 11th, 1898.

You will miss a treat if you do not attend the production of the charming play, Killarney and the Rhine at the Opera House April 14th.

Seed Sweet Potatoes.

A good assortment of sweet potatoes can be found at A. Baum & Son's, 39-41

Wash Fabrics

That fairly whiter thoughts of warm days of Summer. Delicate tinted fabrics greet the eye on every side. French, German, English, Scotch, and our own American makes are blended into one bewildering show. Organ-dies join hands with filmy, airy batties, linen more ties with dainty dimities, and Scotch zephyrs take their place in the exhibit by the rich foulards of the world's best printer.

Dress Goods for Spring.

If the largest variety to select from at lowest possible prices will win your trade, we are bound to sell you your Spring Costume. This week's show consists in part of BAYADES, GRENADINES, ETAMINES, FRENCH CHALIS, CREPONS, FRENCH BROAD CLOTHS, COVERT CLOTHS, etc., etc.

Lining Department.

We keep good strong linings—the kind that do not pull and stretch, no trash. If you have good goods never use inferior linings. We keep the best.

Carpets.

Matings, Rugs, Curtains, Linoleums. Correct patterns at old-fashioned prices. Don't wait too long—prices are going up. We cut and sew them for you. The stock is all new—the largest we have ever had. We excel in the best patterns of Body Brussels and All-Wool full extra Super Ingrains.

GRUBBS & HAZELRIGG.

A Problem.

The scholars are interested in the solution of the following problem, which we submit to our readers and ask a solution to be mailed us on postal card for publication. We desire an answer from every one who reads.

What will 10 yards of velvet cost at \$1.00 per yard.

Send solution to Mr. STERLING ADVOCATE.

The following solutions to the above problem have been received:

It one yard cost one dollar and one one thousandth of a dollar, ten yards will cost ten times as much.

\$1.001
10
\$10.010

Point off as many places in the product as you have in both multiplier and multiplicand.

FRANK WILKESBORO.
Pewee Valley, Ky.

Side View, Ky., Feb. 15, 1898.
Editor ADVOCATE:
Sirs:—Seeing this problem for solution in your paper, I beg to submit the following solution of same:

Problem.—What will 10 yards of velvet cost at \$1 and 1.001 per yard. According to the statement of problem I see no other possible answer than this—\$10 and 10.01.

Yours Respectfully,
SALLIE E. SIMPLETON.

Howard's Mill, Ky., Feb. 24, '98.
Editor ADVOCATE:
Seeing your problem in the ADVOCATE, I see no possible answer but \$10.010.

Yours truly,
E. G. W.

Clay City, Ky., Feb. 27, '98.
Editor ADVOCATE:
As I am a reader of your paper I

will give you an answer to the above stated problem.
Answer—\$10.010.
—Mrs. JUDITH B. WILLE.

Editor ADVOCATE:
Sirs—I send solution to problem which is this—\$10.010.
Yours truly,
PHILIP McKEE.
104 Sigel St., Chicago, Ill., March 4, 1898.

Side View, Ky., Feb. 21, '98.
Editor ADVOCATE:
Seeing a problem in your paper I see no possible answer than this—\$10.001.

Yours Respectfully,
JENNIE M. WELCH.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., March 21, '98.
Editor ADVOCATE:
To the problem published in your paper I send the following answer: Ten yards of velvet would cost \$10.10.

Very Respectfully,
CHESTER THOMPSON.

Winchester, Ky., March 16, '98.
Editor ADVOCATE:
Mr. T. G. Stuart called my attention to the arithmetical problem published in your paper, the answer to which is \$10.010.

D. J. PENDLETON.

I see in your paper this problem and can only see that it is ten times your amount and these figures must be \$1—\$10.010.

E. J. THOMPSON.
Louisville, Ky.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., Mar. 18, '98.
Editor ADVOCATE:—The following is my answer to the problem now published in your paper: Ten yards of velvet would cost \$10.01.

Respectfully,
MATTIE BLOUNT.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., March 25, '98.
Editor ADVOCATE:
I see in your paper a problem and

to it send you the following answer, \$10.010.
Yours truly,
FRANK HOPKINS.
Mt. Sterling, Ky., Mar. 28, '98.
Editor ADVOCATE:—Ten yards of velvet, as stated in problem per yard, would cost \$11.00.

Respectfully,
M. R. B.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., March 23, '98.
Editor ADVOCATE:
To the problem in your paper I send the following answer—\$11.00.

Respectfully,
BESSIE D. TURLEY.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., Mar. 28, '98.
Editor ADVOCATE:—To the problem published in your paper I send the following answer: \$10.01.

Yours truly,
LAFFY THOMPSON.

I see a little problem in your paper the answer to which I believe is \$10.001.

J. H. THOMPSON.
Jeffersonville, Ky., Mar. 30, '98.

Editor ADVOCATE:—To the problem which I see in your paper I send the following answer—\$10.01.

R. S. STOKLEY.
Sage, Ky., March, 1898.

Editor ADVOCATE:—Noticing your problem in the paper, will say the answer must be \$10.010.

Yours truly,
Eva Wills.

Stephens, Ky., March 23, '98.
Editor ADVOCATE:—To the problem published in your paper I send the following answer—\$10.01.

Yours respectfully,
V. H. MONTJOY.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., Mar. 30, '98.
Editor ADVOCATE:—I do not think the problem you published in recent numbers of the Advocate is properly stated. The numerator of a decimal is the number it expresses, disregarding the decimal point; it should not be written as a common fraction, as it cannot be a decimal and common fraction both in one. Not being correctly stated, it cannot be correctly worked.

Respectfully,
Mrs. G. N. Cox.

Gypsy, Ky., March 28, '98.
Editor ADVOCATE:—I send the following solution to your problem, which is ten dollars and one cent.

E. L. WHITAKER.
Middleboro, Ky., Mar. 30, '98.

Editor ADVOCATE:—Noticing the velvet problem in the Advocate I tried my hand on it and send the following solution: Ten thousand and ten dollars (\$10,010).

Yours truly,
Robt. T. Benton.

Reynoldsville, Ky., Mar. 29, '98.
Editor ADVOCATE:—Seeing the problem in your paper I send the following answer—\$10.010.

Yours truly,
G. P. Scott.

Oriskany, Va., March 28, '98.
Editors ADVOCATE:—My answer to velvet problem is \$10.010.

Respectfully,
R. H. HAYDON.

Frozen Creek, Ky., April 4, '98.
Editor ADVOCATE:—The following is my answer to the problem now published in your paper—\$10.010.

Respectfully,
Mrs. Geo. Hopkins.

Dan, Ky., March 30, '98.
Editor ADVOCATE:—As I am a reader of your paper I will give you an answer to the above stated problem, which is \$10.0101.

Yours truly,
GROVER C. MANN.

Methodist Women Gather at Knoxville.
Knoxville, Tenn., April 6.—A large number of prominent women of the Southern Methodist Church arrived here this morning to attend the sessions of the Parsonage and Home Mission Society of the church, which begins here to-night. Among those here are Mrs. R. K. Hargrove, wife of the Bishop of the church; Miss Bell Bennett, of Richmond, Ky.; Mrs. J. H. Yarbrough, of Nashville; Mrs. S. P. Jones, of Chattanooga, Ga.; Mrs. Chamberlain, of Atlanta, and Miss Mary Tipton, of Nashville, also Bishop R. K. Hargrove and O. P. Fitzgerald.

Are There Many Like Him?
One of the good Kansans found in looking over his accounts that he had never sent a church subscription paper to one who had paid 50 cents for it 30 years ago, and he forwarded the sum with interest at 10 per cent. to the man's widow.

CATARH SIX YEARS.
Grew Rapidly Worse—Doctors Did No Good.

Mrs. Adam Smith, Mequon, Wis., in a recent letter to Dr. Hartman, writes: "I write this letter because of my sympathy for the suffering people. For six years I suffered with chronic catarrh. When ever I caught a little cold I would have a severe spell of sickness. I used different catarrh medicines and the doctors did all they could, but relief was only temporary. In December, 1897, my condition became very bad. I could not speak aloud; I had a terrible cough, profuse expectoration and frequently spit blood; night sweats and extreme emaciation. I was sure I must die of consumption. The catarrh seemed to have spread all over my body; my head, throat, nose, bladder, womb. At this time I received a book concerning Peruna and Man-a-din. I followed his directions strictly. I began to improve with the first bottle, and during the time that I took the medicines I gained twenty pounds. I feel as well now as any one could possibly feel. I am sure I would have been dead long ago had it not been for Dr. Hartman's advice and medicine."

Every woman should have a copy of Dr. Hartman's latest book entitled "Health and Beauty." Sent free by The Peruna Drug Manufacturing Co., Columbus, Ohio.

Disappointment and Disgust.
Disappointment and disgust were the reigning emotions in the House when it became known that the President had finally determined not to send in his Cuban message to Congress until he had been assured of the safety of Gen. Lee and the other Americans in the island. At first bitter, and not at all subdued, were the expressions by members, some of whom had heretofore been counted among the President's staunch friends, that the postponement had an ulterior object—that of obtaining time for further negotiations with Spain; and to that there is very general opposition all over the House.

As soon as it became known that the message would not be transmitted, delegations of Congressmen visited the White House to learn the cause.

To them President McKinley showed Consul General Lee's dispatches. The Congressmen expressed themselves satisfied with the action of the President, and to their colleagues said that in these circumstances the publication of the message might lead to a measure that would shock the American people and the whole world.

The reports of these several delegations to the members of the Senate and House tended to allay the excitement and assuage the bitterness of disappointment.

How to Find Out.
Fill a bottle or common glass with urine and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates a diseased condition of the kidneys. When urine stands then it is positive evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent desire to urinate or pain in the back, is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

WHAT TO DO.
There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, fulfills every wish in relieving pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passage. It corrects inability to hold urine and acidizing pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine, or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to get up many times during the night to urinate. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should buy the best. Sold by druggists, price fifty cents and one dollar. You may have sample bottle and pamphlet, both sent free by mail upon receipt of three two-cent stamps to cover cost of postage on the bottle. Mention the Advocate and send your full post-office address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

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A beautiful line of Calicoes at 33c per yard.
1 Yard-wide Brown Cotton at 4c per yard.
10-4 Sheetting at 11c per yard.

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Never before have we had such a select stock of Men's, Ladies, and Children's Shoes.

Men's Plow Shoes at 75c per pair.	Vici Kid Shoes worth \$3.00, at \$1.69.
Men's Creole at 98c.	Ladies' Opera Toe 75c.
Men's Full Stock at \$1.19.	Ladies' Opera Toe at 98c.
Men's Calf Shoes at \$1.00.	Ladies' Custom-made at \$1.24.
Latest styles in Razor and Coin Toe at \$1.24.	Hand-turned Shoes at \$1.98.

CLOTHING. Both members of this firm just returned from the market, where they bought the latest styles in this department. We shall show our customers a better and more complete stock this spring than we ever carried before.

A good Cheviot Suit at \$3.49. A good Gray Worsteds at \$4.98. A nice Plaid at \$4.98. A handsome Suit worth \$15.00 at \$9.75. Knee Pants at 15c up. Boys' Suits at 75c. Youths' at \$1.25.

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